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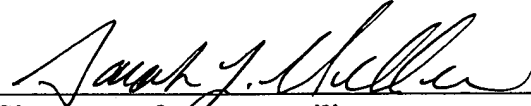
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**POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE OF ENTIRE INTEREST  
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As assignee of record of the entire interest of the above identified application,

**REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS OF ATTORNEY**

all powers of attorney previously given are hereby revoked and

**NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY**

all practitioners associated with the following Customer Number are hereby appointed to prosecute and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

**Customer No.: 24283**

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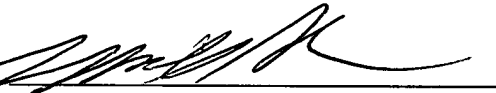
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**ASSIGNEE STATEMENT**

Attached to this power is a "STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. section 3.73(b)."

Date: AUGUST 15, 2003



**Signature for Assignee**

Merrill E. Weber, President

~~Chairman & Chief Medical Officer~~

Advanced Stent Technologies, Inc.

*VICE PRESIDENT, CORPORATE AFFAIRS*



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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. section 3.73(b)**  
**ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION**

1. The assignee(s) of the entire right, title and interest hereby seek(s) to take action in the PTO in this matter.

**IDENTIFICATION OF ASSIGNEE**

2. Name of assignee: Advanced Stent Technologies, Inc.  
Type of assignee: Corporation

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**PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN**

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3. Name of person authorized to sign on behalf of assignee: Merrill Weber  
Title of person authorized to sign: Vice President, Corporate Affairs

I, the person signing below, state that I am empowered to sign this statement on behalf of the assignee.

**BASIS OF ASSIGNEE (S) INTEREST**

4. Ownership by the assignee is established as follows: A chain of title from Merrill Weber to Advanced Stent Technologies, Inc.

**COPIES OF DOCUMENTS IN CHAIN OF TITLE**

5. Copies of the assignment(s) or other document(s) in the chain of title are attached as follows:

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**Signature of authorized person**

Merrill E. Weber, ~~President~~

~~Chairman & Chief Medical Officer~~

Advanced Stent Technologies, Inc.

*Vice President, Corporate Affairs*

Date: 8.18.03



**Signature of Practitioner**

**Michele V. Frank**

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